# Full Strength of Washington Ball Club Will Be Shown in Games on the Road

# NOBLE NATIONALS ARE OFF TONIGHT ON WESTERN TRIP

Cashion, Becker, and Morgan Among Twenty on the List.

#### MORE CONFIDENCE THAN SINCE SPRING

McAleer's Players Will Reach St. Louis Tomorrow in Time for Supper.

Twenty roble young athletes, the entire playing squad of the nifty Nationals, accompanied by Manager Jimmy McAleer, Prof. Joe Quirk, and "Perduke" Fowler, business manager of the cutfit, will leave the Union Station at 6:45 o'clock over the Pennsylvania for St. Louis, being due to arrive there tomorrow evening in time for supper. Every player on the pay roll will be taken, and the youngsters. "Husk" Cashion, "Buck" Becker, and Ray Mergan, will most likely be found in the line of battle before the team

Not since early spring has the team possessed so much confidence as it has now on the eve of hitting the Western The good condition of the regular twirlers, together with the accession of Becker and Cashion, has put the team on its feet, so to speak, and it will open up its Western campaign with every hope of at least breaking

#### Former Trips Disastrous.

Both trips West this season have been disastrous. But one game has been won in St. Louis, Walter Johnson being handed a victory there on the last Cleveland has had a picnic with Nationals' pitchers. Chicago has been only able to break even on the South Side with the McAleer minions, and Detroit has had to hustle for every victory over the army of the Potomac However, right now the Nationals believe more in their ability to take the measure of the four Western clubs. The veterans, with the single exception of Kid Elberfeld, are in top form, and Bill Cunningham has started a winning streak that threatens to make him a regular infielder for the rest of the season and make up partly for the absence of the great little pepper-box.

#### Walker Rejoins Team.

Dixie Walker, the Alabama beauty has rejoined the team, and is in good shape. He says he is ready to take his be used in turn on the road. When in shape the big fellow is one of Mcpitchers. He was going like a whiriwind when injured.

backed up since coming home, they to escape from the clutches of the en- by" Street hustled half way to his own should at least win half their games, emy

from Danville, in the Virginia League, being allowed to play in the gardens four wide ones, putting two on and will very likely receive a chance to show during the absence of "Birdie" Cree, giving the Yankees a chance. his class, and this is all he asks-a chronic gardener and landscape artist. shows his inexperience around third second session and landed safely. He minors when this fellow approaches the base, but constant practice will teach romped to second while Schaefer was him how to judge the angles and how getting Jack Knight, and softly jumped more or less, by actual measurement— Philadelphia at New York.

Brooklyn at Boston. to get the ball on the sliding runner, into third on a wild pitch. Becker was sometimes, Manager McAleer is watching his work wobbling a bit and passed Hartzell, putclosely and, while unwilling to make ting himself very much in a hole. any snap judgment, is inclined to think that "Duke" Farrell picked up a real, difficult bound, but the comedian finally he had him three and two. The live ball player.

### Minor League Results.

American Association.

Minneapolis, 9; Kansas City, 3. Columbus, 11; Louisville, 4. Indianapolis, 4: Toledo, 3.

Milwaukee, 9; St. Paul, 4. Carolina Association Greensboro, 14; Greenville, 2.

Charlotte, 11; Spartanburg, 1. First game: Winston Salem, 4; Anderson, 1. Second game,: Winston Salem, 3; Anderson, 1.

#### New York State League. First game: Elmira, 5; Wilkesbarre, 4;

Second game: Wilkesbarre, 9; Elmira, 1. Binghamton, 8; Scranton, 1. Utica, 3; Troy, 0. Fracuse, 9; Albany, 6.

Virginia State League. Richmond, 15: Danville, 12. Rosnoke, 10: Norfolk, 3. Petersburg-Lynchburg game

poned; rain. Western League. Des Moines, 8; Sloux City, 5,

#### Denver, 9; Lincoln, 0. St. Joe, 11; Omaha, 10. Southern League.

Chattanooga, S; Mobile, D. First game: New Orleans, 4; Atlanta, Second game: New Orleans, 6; At-Memphis-Montgomery; wet grounds. Birmingham, 2; Nashville, 0.

### Tristate League.

Harrisburg, 4; Lancaster, 3, Reading, 8; York, 1. Wilmington, 2; Johnstown, 1. Trenton, 10; Altoona, 4.

South Atlantic League. Jacksonville, 8; Charleston, 2. Macon, 3; Augusta, 2. Columbus, 3; Columbia, 6. Albany, 3; Savannah, 1.

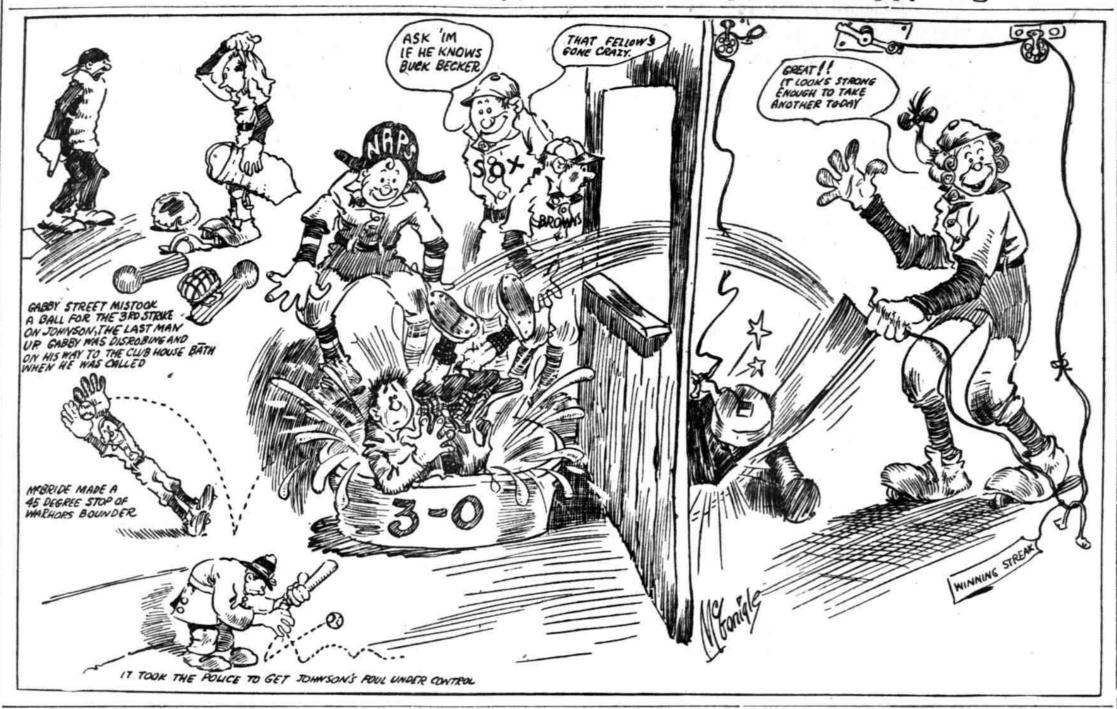
# Eastern League.

Rochester, 11; Providence, 1. Buffalo, 10; Newark, 4. Baltimore, 2; Toronto, 6. Montreal, 5; Jersey City, 3.

# New England League.

Lynn, 3; New Bedford, 0. Lawrence, 4; Haverhill, 1 (first game) Lawrence, 13; Haverhill, 4 (second Brockton, 3; Worcester, 6.

# Near Admiral Becker, of the Navy, Sinks the Hopes of Happy Highlanders MOTORISTS TAKING



## SUPPORT ENABLES BECKER TO WIN

Navy Yard Hurler Will Accompany Team to St. Louis as Regular Member of Pitching Staff as Result of Shut Out Victory Over New York Kilties.

the throw to the pan, bringing

The Yanks were desperate in the ninth

rathskellar and gobbled Gardner's foul

Chase sent "Ote" Johnson up to the

bat. They move the fences back in the

pan. He can knock the pill 374 miles,

Yesterday was not one of the times.

0 Knight, ss. 5 ( 0 Har'zell, 3b 3

Cu'ham,2b 3 2 3 1 1 Gardner,2b 4 1 1 0 Street,c... 3 0 6 3 0 Blair,c... 2 0 3 1 Becker,p.. 3 1 0 2 0 Warhop,p. 3 0 0 2 Johnson... 1 0 0 6

Totals.. 29 6 27 17 1 Totals.. 31 9 27 9 1

\*Batted for Warhop in the ninth.

Sherwood Team to Play

Sunday School All-Stars

A benefit game has been scheduled

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It looked for a moment as if "Buck"

Dazzlingly brilliant support, coupled Becker marched over with a run he with his own coolness, enabled "Buck" didn't deserve. Then "Red" Walker turn on the slab, and most likely will Becker to fit out the Highlanders with cracked one at Gardner, and Milan slid luck suits yesterday to the tune of 3 to 0, and he accompanies the team tonight in the third taily of the combat. Aleer's strongest and most successful to St. Louis a regular member, subject to taking his turn on the hill with the and "Ote" Johnson, the gent with the other hurlers. The tall southpaw from home run penchant, tried to bring in Manager McAleer is confident that his the navy yard has been through the two runs, or even three, but failed bepitching staff is now strong enough to fire and has been found true, but yes- cause of the amazing strength of young cope with the sluggers of the West, terday George McBride, G. Erminie Becker. Conroy dashed over to the bag Johnson, Becker, Hughes, Cashion, Schaefer, and Doc Gessler, in the field, for Knight's crack and round-housed Groom, and Walker will be used on the and "Rubbershirt Bill" Cunningham him at first. Hartzell's splash was just trip and, backed up as they have been with the stick made it possible for him out of Cunningham's reach, but "Gab-

Ray Morgan, the youngster purchased Bert Daniels, exulting inordinately at shoot. Foxy Walter Blair waited for In his workouts here the lad slipped a slow roller to Conroy in the

Gardner's punch shot at Schaefer on a grabbed it and, with a perfect toss to Street, spiked Bertie as he slid into the celery dish. Then, to prove his claims to being a hig leaguer, Becker promptly when Johnson woke from his slumber when Johnson woke from his slumber when Johnson woke from his slumber with some to being a big leaguer, Becker promptly whiffed Blair. That was some inning. belleve us.

### Second a Lively Inning.

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Come to think of it, the second spasm for the Nationals was some inning, too.

Gessier skied to the ubiquitous Hemphili, but McBride collided with one of Warhop's subway shoots and took his Schaefer. They made it possible. The base. Conroy's pop to Gardner made joyful tale: underwear infant plastered a double to right, and McBride chased himself over the dish. That one run kept growing McBride chased himself over Walker, if. 4 1 2 0 0 Chase, ib., 4 1 6 Daniels, if. 4 2 0 bigger and bigger to the dish. bigger and bigger, too, down to the eighth when two more came over. But right then that lonely tally was some

run.
With Warhop gone in the third Wolter reached first on a slap Schaefer couldn't quite choke. McBride then dashed toward third and nailed with his bare hand Hemphill's prospective single, getting the fleet Wolter at sec-ond. That was a beautiful stop by the best shortstopper in the American

Runs-Milan, McBride, Becker. First base on error-Washington. 1. Left on bases—Washington, 5; New York, 10. First base on balls—Off Becker, 3; off Warbop, 2. Struck out—By Becker, 2; by Warhop, 2. Two-base hits—Milan, Cunnincham, and Chase. Sacrifice five—Schaefer. Sacrifice hits—Knight and Blair. Stolen base—Daniels. Hit by pitcher—By Warhop, McBride. Wild pitch—Becker. Umpires—Messrs. Egan and Evans. Time of game—1 hour and 25 minutes. The fifth again saw Becker held up by his faultiess support. Earl Gardner opened with a crashing bingle to left. Blair sacrificed him nobly, and then Doc Gessler ran well nigh to the fence in right center for Warhop's savage clout intended for a triple. A moment later Wolter reached first on a teaser to Schaefer, Gardner landing at third. "Gabby" Street and McBride, two wise old craniums, immediately fooled friend Gardner, for when Wolter made his break for second the Nationals' captain returned the pill to "The Powah-ful Mr. Gabby" in time to retire Gard-ner at the pan and end the inning. Beckand an All-star team of the same league, for tomorrow at 5:30 o'clock. The proceeds will go for the relief of

er's sigh of relief made the flags wave on the roof of the stands. In the eighth the Yankees again showed their spirit, and had a man on third before the end came. Wolter singled to center, to be forced by Hemphill. "Fatty Charile" hiked to third when "Fatty Charlie niked to third when Chase doubled to left along the line. Danlels, the maker of three safeties, was up, and another bingle was on the cards. Becker shoveled a little more coal got up a good head of steam, and forced him to boost a short fly to "Zeb"

### Warhop Unfortunate.

Warhop was unfortunate in the last of the eighth. Gardner let Becker's roller slide through him to right, and the lanky hurier rushed to third wher. Milan doubled to right. Hal Chase chewed four pieces of gum at once dur-ing this excitement. Schaefer sent up a terrific skyscraper to Wolter, and

### Baseball Standings

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. Washington, 3; New York, 0. Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 1. Chicago, 2; Detroit, 0. Boston, 2; Philadelphia, 1.

Games Today. New York at Washington Boston at Philadelphia. Cleveland at St. Louis. Detroit at Chicago.

Games Tomorrow. York at Cleveland. Detroit at Chicago.

#### Standing of the Clubs.

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1	W.	L	Pct.	Win.	Lose.	
Philadelphia	69	38	.645	.548	.639	
Detroit	67	41	.621	.624	.615	
Boston	56	53	.514	.518	.509	
New York	55	54	505	.509	.500	
Cleveland	55	255	500	505	.435	
Chicago	53	53	600	.505	.495	
Washington	45	64	413	.420	.409	
St. Louis	33	75	.305	.312	.303	
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### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

# Yesterday's Results.

ork, 3; Philadelphia, 2, w York, 5; Philadelphia, (Called sixth inning, darkness.)
St. Louis, 3; Pittsburg, 1.
Boston, 13; Brooklyn, 9.
Chicago-Cincinnati—No game.

Games Today.

### Standing of the Clubs.

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finally he had him three and two. The	Chicago 52	37	.626	.630	.62
last ball shot across the dish, and	Pittsburg 64	41	.610	.613	.60
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when Johnson woke from his slumber	St. Louis 57				4
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# Wolgast's Rival Riled

is fighting angry. Replying to Tom Jones. Wolgast's manager, who said the innings had been played it was that the match would be held Septem-realized that the representatives of it. Packy said:

"So he says I am yellow and afraid to step inside the ring with Wolgast? I will be the first in the ring. I will show Wolgast something about this game that he has never seen before."

### Western Buds Lose.

The Georgetown Juniors won from the Western Buds, yesterday by 11 to 5. Both pitchers were hit easily, but no errors were made by the Juniors.

## **BOB THAYER'S SPORTING GOSSIP**

Now that it has been definitely an nounced that Jack Flynn has been sold by Pittsburg to St. Paul it is to be hoped that all this talk about the first for a time at least. When Flynn was was some truth in the report. McAlee tually considered a joke. From high officials of the Washington baseball club have come absolute denials that the owners here ever contemplated the purchase of the law student.

### Moeler making good.

The fans of this city may well be enthused by the recent work of the recruits from Rochester. Hardly a day passes but that at least one of the trio does something noteworthy. Yesterday it was Dan Moeler's turn and just to show how good he is he proceeded to make five hits out of five times up, including four twobaggers, and he scored four runs. This certainly speaks well of the ability of the future National.

### Cornell surprised.

There were few among the many spectators at Capital City Park yes-By "Crawl" Remark terday at the beginning of the game who believed that the Aloysius club CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Packy McFarland had any sort of a chance against the the innings had been played it was ber 15, if Packy did not "crawl" out of the church were out to fight to the last ditch and that the paperhangers had underestimated the strength of their opponents. Aloysius got a big lead and lasted just long enough to have the contest end in a tie. It was virtually an Aloysius victory.

### Maloney making good.

Billy Maloney, who used to play with Georgetown in the nineties, has made quite a hit with the fans at Toledo. After having a trial with the Chicago

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Capt. Jim Rose, of the Washington Wine & Benson, who handle the Premier, have just been appointed agents in Washington and vicinity for the Abbott-Detroit car and are expecting a shipment of 1912 models within the next few days. The 1912 was some truth in the report. McAleer tive to all followers of cricket in the car is said to embrace many popular continued to deny it until finally at the District. On September 2 a picked team models. Dr. Charles Percival's 100-pecember meeting of the American from the Washington club, consisting of 000-mile trip in an Abbott-Detroit League the manager made the positive twelve men, will meet a team known as statement that he was not after Flynn the Zingard, composed of eight profes- with an automobile. and would make no bid. This led sionals and four clever amateurs of the friends of the club to get McAleer to clubs of Philadelphia. Any one who has triends of the club to get McArer to clubs of Philadelphia. Any one who has talk with Fred Clarke, the Pittsburg been a devotee of the ancient game land-Washington Motor Company, is spending the week-end at Torrington, conn... where his family is sojourning when Flynn was mentioned it was mu- furnish some pretty good sport.

#### back into the American Association, in which he has recently proved to be a star. A weak arm is said to be the only weakness of the outfielder.

# LIVE INTEREST IN BIG HIGHWAY PLAN

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#### By HARRY WARD.

Washington motorists are taking a lively interest in the gigantic system of seven great national highways radiating from this city proposed in a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator

The Automobile Club of Washington, the Washington branch of the Touring Club of America, unattached motorists by the thousands, to say nothing of the several hundred motorcyclists, are enthusiastically in favor of the proposed vast road system, which would make Washington the center of a wheel of reads passing through practically every State in the Union.

State in the Union.

William S. Duvall, president of the Automobile Club of Washington and a pioneer motorist of this city, is a strong supporter of the proposed national highways. "The good roads plan proposed by General King and introduced in Congress by Senator Cullom is one of the greatest and most desirable things that could be conceived for the motoring fraternity of this country, which numbers thousands upon thousands. I believe every automobile club sands. I believe every automobile club and every motorist who delights in touring will lend influence toward securing the enactment of the Culiom bill. I shall bring the matter to the attention of the Automobile Club of Washington of the Automobile Club of Washington of the Automobile Club of

Cullom bill providing for a great system of national highways leading out of Washington is putting it mildly. Said Leroy Mark, vice president of the Touring Club of America and manager of its southeastern branch. Where hundreds of motorists now. Where hundreds of motorists now tour in their cars, the building of the seven national highways with their connecting lines would mean that untold thousands of automobile

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